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KENNETH DOUGLAS VINSON : Confirmation No.: 9231  
Serial No.: 10/688,118 : Group Art Unit: 1731  
Filed: October 17, 2003 : Examiner

For: Paper Softening Compositions Containing Low Levels Of High Molecular Weight  
Polymers And Soft Tissue Paper Products Comprising Said Compositions

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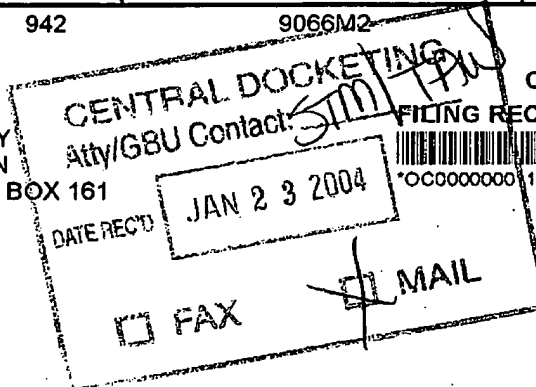
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Title

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